Statement

LIST OF PROPOSALS RECEIVED FROM KERALA GOVERNMENT DURING 2007-08

1. Development of Kalamandalam as a tourist destination.
2. Development of Kasaragod & Bekal.
3. Development of Kozilkode as a destination-Sarovaram Wetland Nature Park.
4. Development of Farm Tourism in the Estates of Plantation Corp. of Kerala Ltd.
5. Onam and Nishagandha Festivals.
6. Pooram Festival.
7. Destination Development of Elephant Park at Punnathoor (Additional work).
8. Development of Mangalam Dam as a Tourist Destination.
9. Development of Kottakkummu in Malappuram as a Tourist Destination.
10. Development of Wayanad in Kerala.
11. Developmment of Kodungallur Heritage Circuit, Kerala.
12. Development of Pathiramanal Bio Park, Kerala.

Tourist places in Jharkhand

†1604. SHRI AJAY MAROO: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is aware about a number of attractive tourist places in Jharkhand;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the State Government has submitted any proposal to the Central Government or has demanded assistance for the development of these tourist spots;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, whether the Central Government intends to take *any suo-moto* initiative in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM (SHRIMATI AMBIKA SONI): (a) to (e) Development and promotion of tourism is undertaken primarily by the State Govemments/Union Territory Administrations. The Ministry of Tourism, Government of India, extends financial assistance to the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations for tourism related projects which are identified in consultation and interaction with them under the schemes for Product/ Infrastructure Development of Destinations/Circuits and Assistance to Large Revenue Generating Projects. Project proposals received from the State Governments/Union Territories that are complete in all respects are examined on the basis of scheme guidelines and *inter-se* priority and funds released subject to availability under the respective heads.

A list of projects sanctioned to the State of Jharkhand during the Tenth Plan period and the current financial year is given at statement.

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Statement

Projects Sanctioned To The State of Jharkhand During The Tenth Plan Period And The Current Financial Year

(Rs. in lalkh)

SI. No.	Name of the Project	Amount Sanctioned
	2002-03-NIL	
	2003-04	
1.	Integrated Development of Madhubani and Parasnath in Giridih	393.00
2.	Integrated Development Jamshedpur-Ranchi-Betla-Daltonganj-Ranchi-Jamshedpur Tourist Circuit in Jharkhand	716.00
	Total	1109.00
	2004-05	
1.	Integrated Development of Massanjore (Distt. Dumka)	493.25
2.	Development of Tirthenkar-Boddhisatwa Circuit	494.57
	Total	987.82
	2005-06	
1.	Hazaribagh Cultural-cum-Adventure Festival, 2006	5.00
2.	Adventure Tourism Festival, 2005 Ghatshila, Jamshedpur	4.20
3.	Hijla Tribal Rural Festival, 2006 at Dumka	2.50
4.	Integrated Development of Tourist Circuit Ranchi-Netarhat-Betla-Ranchi	798.00
5.	Integrated Development of Deoghar (Distt. Deoghar) under Destination Development Scheme	417.57
	Total	1227.27
	2006-07	
1.	Integrated Development of Tourist Circuit 'Ranchi-Rajrappa-Hazaribagh-Itkhori' in Jharkhand	775,78
2.	CFA for the Project - Information Technology in the State Tourism Department of Jharkhand	49.10
3.	Integrated Development of Sahebganj-Rajmahal as Tourist Destination	131.47
	Total	956.35
	2007-08	
1.	Rural Tourism at Village Amadubi, Distt. Singbhum	49.95
2.	Rural Tourism at Village Deuridih, Distt. Saraikela Kharasawan	49.94
	TOTAL	99,89

Development of tourism in Karnataka

1605. SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the schemes sent by the State Government of Karnataka for the development of tourism in that State, on which cent per cent expenditure is to be borne by the Central Government, so far approved by the Centra! Government;